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Pets.tv Episode #408A

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## **Canine Countdown: Top Dogs of 2010**

Featuring: Patrick Mahoney VMD

### General Synopsis for Episode #408A

This special canine edition of Pets.tv with American Kennel Club (AKC), showcase 7 of the 10 most popular dogs in 2010. Veterinarian Dr. Patrick Mahoney as well experts of each breed provide history, informative facts and health and care considerations about each dog. Viewers see the dogs in action as they learn about personality traits and the ideal home environment. At #10, the audience learns that the Shih Tzu means 'lion dog' in Chinese and is called the chrysanthemum faced dog because they look like a flower. At #8 is the Dachshund aka 'wiener dog' and is known for having a stubborn personality and needs lots of adult supervision. The Beagle at #4 is a high-energy dog. It came from Great Briton as working and hunting dog and has a highly sensitive nose for tracking. To learn more information, the viewers are encouraged to follow Pets.tv on twitter.com/PetsTV. The next episode of Pets.tv reveals the top 3 dogs.

### Observation and Conclusion

Episode #408A is an engaging show that will interest young viewers as they learn how to enjoy, care for and respect each of the top dogs and how to select the best breed of dog for them. This episode of Pets.tv delivers an educational and informational message that supports current social, intellectual and emotional aspects of children ages 13 and up. Attributes and advice emphasized by guests instill a grounded balance of priorities, commitment, and perseverance children can apply to their lives.

Sincerely,



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